

DRUGGISTS!! PLEASE NOTE VICK'S VAPORUB OVERSOLD DUE TO PRESENT EPIDEMIC

Tremendous Demand Last Few Days Has Wiped Out Excess Stocks That We Had Estimated Would Last Until Next January. Last Week's Orders Called For One and Three-quarter Million Jars—Today's Orders Alone Amount to 932,459 Jars.

Big Shipments Are En Route to Jobbers. Until These Arrive There May Be a Temporary Shortage. All Deals Postponed—Buy in Small Lots Only.

RETAILERS CAN GET IMMEDIATE SHIPMENTS DIRECT BY PARCEL POST.

This advertisement is written on Monday, Oct. 21st. It is directed to the attention of all distributors of Vick's Vaporub, both wholesale and retail, in an emergency such as the present epidemic—our duty—and your duty—is to distribute Vick's Vaporub in the most possible manner to those sections stricken by influenza. We therefore call your careful attention to the following:

DANGER OF SHORTAGE IF SUPPLY IS NOT CONSERVED

On Oct. 1st we had on hand at our factory and in twenty warehouses scattered over the country, sufficient Vick's Vaporub to last us, we thought, until Jan. 1st, allowing for a 50 per cent. increase over last year's sale, and not counting our daily output. This big excess stock had been accumulated during the summer months. Then this epidemic of Spanish influenza hit us—and in the last 10 days this stock has vanished. At first we thought this a tremendous demand, but it was not. It was a demand for a little more than two million jars of Vick's Vaporub.

On Wednesday, Oct. 16, 15,504 doz. Thursday, Oct. 17, 23,323 doz. Friday, Oct. 18, 29,256 doz. Saturday, Oct. 19, 25,151 doz. Sunday, Oct. 20, 27,705 doz. Up to Saturday, Oct. 19th, we have actually shipped 244,600 doz. or over two million jars of Vick's Vaporub.

THE PROBLEM NOW IS TO DISTRIBUTE VAPORUB QUICKLY

Most of this tremendous quantity is still en route to the jobbers, but freight and express are both congested now, and it may be some time before this supply reaches the jobbers. In the meantime, therefore, it is necessary that we distribute, as widely as possible, the stock that we are manufacturing daily, together with that now on the jobbers' and retailers' shelves, in order that it may get to the influenza-stricken districts quickly. Our normal output is about 4,000 dozen per day. We are putting on a night shift, but it will be a little while before that is producing.

WHAT WE ASK THE WHOLESALE DRUGGIST TO DO

Last Saturday we notified all of our jobbers by Special Delivery, as follows: First—Desist and quantity shipments.

THE VICK CHEMICAL COMPANY, Greensboro, N. C.

CENTRE GROTON

Mrs. Charles Durpess accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Sydney Holmes of this village, has returned to her home in Pittsfield, Maine, after two weeks' visit with her sister's family here. Mrs. Holmes will make a visit with her aunt in Maine for a month or two.

Although some is reported plentiful very few guns are heard about here.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Thompson left Monday for their home on Cape Cod, after two weeks' visit here. His brother, Carl Thompson, accompanied them

for a visit.

John R. Haley who has been seriously ill with pneumonia is improving rapidly.

All of those who have been ill from influenza are able to be about. No new cases have been reported in this vicinity.

G. W. Bailey has begun husking his piece of field corn. The corn is turning out of good quality, although the crop is smaller than last year as the corn did not come up well which made a poor start of fall.

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Mess Sergeant Ralph Meinler of an aviation unit training in California, in Danvers called here by the illness of his brother, Arnel Meinler, who was reported Sunday as resting more comfortably.

Arthur Barlow, of the naval guard, Newport, spent Sunday at his home in Danvers.

Walter Adams, in a machine gun battalion preparing at Camp Devens for overseas service, was at his home here over Sunday.

Henry C. Newton of Lawrence was a visitor with Danielson relatives over Sunday.

Rev. J. J. Ginet, M.S., announced at the Sunday masses at St. James' church that the Liberty loan collection, to buy bonds of the fourth loan in the name of the parish amounted to \$1418.85, the largest collection in the history of the parish. The gift of this money was outright.

Sunday brought out a host of motorists, the weather being the most perfect of the fall season.

Danielson's license plates are making their preparations to close their doors next week Monday, when their license expires.

Getting adequate sugar ration occupies the attention of many Danielson housewives. The supply remains very short and the allowance is very limited.

Patrolman John McFarland is on duty and Patrolman Christopher Andrews is doing night duty during the absence of Chief Michael Grimsby, who is ill at his home on Riverside.

Sunday's reports indicated a very decided improvement in health conditions in Danvers. The number of cases in all towns has dropped to normal, though there are some new cases of illness.

Setting the clocks at "sun time" was accomplished here in Danvers without anyone, apparently, seeming to realize that anything out of the ordinary had taken place, but realization came Sunday evening, when it was dark, noon after 5.

Thomas Grady, who was employed at Woodward's store, now at a munitions plant in Norwich, visited with friends here over Sunday.

Miss Graciela Lucier, a Williamstown young woman, who has been employed in one of Danielson's manufacturing plants, died at her home on Monday evening of pneumonia. She had been ill with influenza and pneumonia. The body will be forwarded to Williamstown for burial.

Motorists are complaining that there is abuse of the searchlights with which many cars are equipped. The state motor vehicle law is very specific as to how these lights are to be used on the roads, and specifically forbids running them when lighted and thrown directly ahead in the highway.

Sunday evening, St. James' parish hall there was a meeting of men and women of the parish to perfect the Catholic end of the arrangement for the United War Work drive that is to take place during the week of November 11-13. Rev. M. J. Ginet, M.S., was very particular to emphasize that the work to be done by members of St. James' parish will not be done as members of St. James' parish, but as members of the United States combining with the people of all denominations to help forward to success one of the greatest charitable movements in the history of the world. Every parish is urged to do his or her utmost to make the work a success in this district.

Saturday from his home in Good-year the funeral of Peter Lamotte, who died in the Day Kimball hospital, was held with services at St. Joseph's church. The Rev. Ignatius Kost was celebrant of the high mass of requiem. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. The bearers were Wilfred Bullard, Henry Billing, Patrick O'Neill, Moses H. Bartholme, St. Charles Carrier, Thomas Dubois, Louis E. Kennedy was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Jayville Rev. Ignatius Kost is perfecting his arrangements to bring members of St. Joseph's parish, which includes all of the villages in the northern part of the town of Killingly, make their full force for good left in the United War Work drive. Armand Hennault has been named as chairman of the parish organization that will be engaged in the work.

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PUTNAM

The schools of this city, which have been closed as a measure to safeguard the spread of the influenza epidemic, will be reopened this morning. Health Officer Peter Gardner said Saturday afternoon that general health conditions in the city are very much improved. New cases of illness are reported every day, but this also is true in normal times, so the situation is now regarded as encouraging.

Attention is again being called to the fact that the gifts to the Day Kimball hospital, a practice that interests people in most of the towns of eastern Windham county. The usual arrangements will be followed this year. The gifts to the hospital in the past have included money, cereals, preserved foods, coffee, tea, raisins, cocoa, fresh fruit, vegetables, eggs, butter, and baking powder, etc. During the epidemic the hospital has been a refuge for many and as each year goes by the inestimable value of the institution now stands out more and more apparent.

Flash Lights from Russia was the subject of a paper read at the Christian Endeavor meeting at the Congregational church, by Mrs. E. M. Warner Sunday evening. Mrs. Warner had given much time to the preparation of her paper, which previously had been read at the high school, before the Woman's club at North Grosvenordale and Elizabeth Porter Putnam chapter, D. A. R.

Putnam is back on "sun time" this morning. The city clock, which has been set forward eleven hours Saturday night, though many did not make the change until Sunday morning. In connection with the time saving scheme which was approved by the vast majority of people hereabouts, it is now of interest to note that some who are ultra conservative did not even try to change their clocks, or watches Saturday or Sunday. They didn't change them in the spring, believing, as one man declared, "there is no use trying to interfere with things arranged by the Almighty." These people have been off time for months, but it didn't worry them any.

George Kies, who was a former resident in the town of Thompson, died at the Day Kimball hospital, it was announced Saturday morning. Mr. Kies, 62 years of age, was born in Killingly. Formerly he was a resident of Union. He was the son of Hans Kies and Cordelia Main.

Such success was achieved last year in our county fair show, being arranged by County Agent B. W. Ellis, will be more of an attraction than ever before. The fair will be held in the hall in this city on Nov. 21. Premium lists are being mailed upon request from the office of the Farmers' association in this city.

A gang of men is now engaged in stripping the city clock tower of its equipment work incident to getting the power transmission line of the Shore Line Electric Railway company replaced for use. Crossarms were being put on poles in the town of Putnam near the David Clark place on Killingly avenue, Saturday. This work will require several weeks as many poles are to be equipped.

Most Putnam people being convinced that the city's boys who are in the service will not be home for Christmas, preparations are being made to send them boxes of good cheer. The War Work drive department is urging prompt attention to this matter, as much time will be required to transport the packages and getting them to the point of distribution in France, England and Italy.

All towns near here are reporting a general subsidence of the influenza epidemic. By Sunday conditions had improved somewhat, and some normal health conditions have been practically restored. It is said, in reviewing what towns hereabouts have been through in the past month, that the epidemic has been the least at any time within the memory of anyone hereabouts.

The Tourtellotte Memorial chapel to be erected after the war in the Grove cemetery will be a very attractive structure, it is stated, and will cost many thousands of dollars. The site selected for it is on a knoll between a pond near the cemetery grounds and the city street. It is understood that the fund provided for the chapel includes a sufficient amount to provide for its maintenance.

Though the state election is only a few days away, there is not much being said publicly about politics in this city or this district. Here in Putnam and throughout the district, the chief concern of the election will be over the election of a senator from the 28th district. The state effort being made to elect a candidate who will unwaveringly support the prohibition legislation that is to be introduced at the coming session. The "wet" forces are well aware of this and they are not slow to assert that they will do their utmost, regardless of party affiliations, to defeat any candidate for senator who is pledged to the prohibition workers or who declares himself in favor of state-wide prohibition.

Beginning Nov. 2, a religious campaign is to be conducted at the Baptist church, by Rev. Percy H. Barker, singing evangelist. The campaign will continue until Nov. 24 and will include Christian Enlistment week.

Herewith is another installment of order numbers assigned to registrants in this district:

- 283-282 John J. Toolin, 12 High street, Putnam.
- 280-280 Oswald L. Melvior, North Grosvenordale.
- 281-280 Victor D. Tourville, 183 Church street, Putnam.
- 282-281 Arthur Lacombe, 6 Water street, Danvers.
- 283-282 Ernest C. Provost, 94 Winter street, Danvers.
- 284-283 Charles B. Carver, Killingly street, Goodyear.
- 285-284 Walter B. Colby, R. F. D. No. 1, Putnam.
- 286-285 Alvin J. Hall, Dayville.
- 287-286 James H. Ryan, Box 85, Thompson.
- 288-287 Otis Green, R. F. D. No. 2, Putnam.
- 289-288 Fred C. Bellows, Killingly.
- 290-289 Honorius N. Magnus, 283 Church street, Putnam.
- 291-290 Phyllis Basinet, 52 Mill street, Putnam, Conn.
- 292-291 Joseph A. Lapelle, 18 Franklin street, Danvers.
- 293-292 John J. Putnam, 72 So. Main street, Putnam.
- 294-293 Emory Mailloux, North Grosvenordale.
- 295-294 Andrew Magdo, care Bowditch Dye Works, E. Putnam.
- 296-295 Eugene Durocher, Jr., 34 1-2 Marshall street, Putnam.
- 297-296 Bernard Clancy, 149 Elm street, Putnam.

- 308-307 Joseph B. Bonin, North Grosvenordale.
- 309-308 Daniel E. Gallup, 204 Main street, Danvers.
- 310-309 Pacific J. Dufault, 358 Providence street, Putnam.
- 311-310 Charles W. Lapoint, Ballouville.
- 312-311 Julius Irving, Woodstock Valley.
- 313-312 Edward E. Lefiere, North Grosvenordale.
- 314-313 Martin Chupka, R. F. D. No. 1, West, Willington.
- 315-314 John B. Bassett, 97 Broad street, Danvers.
- 316-315 Jacques Robitaille, 27, Mohegan street, Putnam.
- 317-316 George R. Baker, Box 94, Dayville, Killingly.
- 318-317 Nicholas Papacostas, Ballou street, Putnam, Conn.
- 319-318 Theodore Pelowski, 202 Church street, Putnam.
- 320-319 Louis B. Fountain, 29 Livery street, Putnam.
- 321-320 Arthur Dagenais, Attawaugan, R. F. D. Killingly.
- 322-321 Romeo J. Brassard, 23 Mechanic street, Putnam.
- 323-322 William J. Gellins, 32 Water street, Putnam.
- 324-323 George E. Gennet, 42 Water street, Danvers.
- 325-324 Almidos Riendeau, 233 Providence street, Putnam.
- 326-325 Harvey Bennett, Danielson Inn, Danielson.
- 327-326 E. J. Lazarides, Box 79, Mechanicville.
- 328-327 Merrill Bennett, Killingly.
- 329-328 Alfred Grenier, R. F. D. No. 4, Putnam.
- 330-329 William E. Johnston, R. F. D. No. 1, Southbridge, Mass.
- 331-330 Thomas Pelczarski, 47, Hawthorn street, Putnam.
- 332-331 Michael P. Moran, 66 Smith street, Putnam.
- 333-332 Milor P. Warren, 23 Alpha street, Putnam.
- 334-333 Milan D. Whitaker, R. F. D. No. 1, South Killingly.
- 335-334 Erving C. Burrill, R. F. D. No. 1, Putnam.
- 336-335 Simion Vivia, 55 Water street, Danvers.
- 337-336 Andrew P. Donovan, 15 Lyon street, Putnam.
- 338-337 Anthony Lada, North Grosvenordale.
- 339-338 Octave Bibeault, 132 Water street, Danvers.
- 340-339 G. G. G. North Grosvenordale.
- 341-340 Thomas Lucier, White Crossing, Putnam.
- 342-341 James D. Dalakas, 17 Oak street, Danvers.
- 343-342 Heinrich R. F. D. No. 1, Putnam.
- 344-343 John B. Cuff, Killingly, R. F. D. No. 1.
- 345-344 Arthur L. Duvert, 137 Woodstock avenue, Putnam.
- 346-345 J. Lawrence, R. F. D. No. 2, Putnam.
- 347-346 Joseph A. Rene, North Grosvenordale.
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